Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 30 Jan 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 31 Jan 2022

Forecast Issued on Sunday 30 Jan 2022 at 01:58

Confidence: High for the more changeable, windy spell of weather to continue. Lower for details, especially on Tuesday.

Headline for Sunday 30 Jan 2022: Dry, bright morning then rain and gales developing in afternoon. Severe gales and blustery showers, wintry on tops, in evening.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 30 Jan 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Medium Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Light snow showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	10%	70%	30%	40%

Forecast for Sunday 30 Jan 2022

Weather: Dry through the morning with a few sunny intervals but clouding over by the afternoon. Just the odd spot of rain at first but a couple of hours of persistent rain from mid afternoon until dusk, then clearer with a few passing showers, turning to snow above about 600m in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90%, falling 30% in more persistent rain later, increasing 80% in evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility in morning with cloud above summits. Moderate to poor visibility in rain with cloud lowering to 600m with lower patches. Mainly good visibility in evening but occasionally poor in snow showers with cloud occasionally dipping to 600m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	8/12 W	16/23 SW	25/35 S	29/42 SW	41/61 W	43/63 NW	38/57 NW
300	5/9 W	5/12 SW	12/22 S	15/28 SW	24/45 W	25/45 NW	23/42 NW
Valley	4/9 W	4/11 SW	10/20 S	12/27 SW	20/42 W	20/41 NW	18/38 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-2	1/-4	1/-6	2/-5	2/-6	1/-8	0/-8
300	3/0	2/-1	4/-1	4/0	5/-1	3/-3	3/-4
Valley	4/2	3/1	5/1	6/2	6/1	4/-1	4/-1
Freezing Level*	700m	600m	700m	1300m	900m	700m	600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A day of two halves. A fine start but deteriorating conditions during the afternoon.

Forecast for Monday 31 Jan 2022

Weather: A few passing showers in the early hours, of snow above 500-600m. The day looks mainly cloudy with the best of any brighter interludes in the morning. A few light showers, of snow above 600 -700m, tending to become more overcast with some rather more persistent light rain as the afternoon goes on, any snow becoming increasingly confined to summits and turning to rain by evening.

Maximum wind: Northwestly 50 gusts 70mph in early hours becoming westerly 35 gusts 50mph in the morning easing 25 gusts 35mph in afternoon, picking up again late evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 70% in morning falling 40% in afternoon then 10% in evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly good in morning, but becoming moderate occasionally poor as rain and drizzle becomes more persistent and cloud steadily lowers to 450m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 rising to Plus 7 Celsius.
At 700m: Minus 1 Celsius rising to Plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 600m rising to above summits by evening.

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